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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Katsuyuki SAKAI et al.

Title: OCCUPANT PROTECTION  
SYSTEM

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Examiner: Laura B. Rosenberg

Art Unit: 3616

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated January 13, 2006, and in the Advisory Action dated May 10, 2006, finally rejecting Claims 1, 2, 4-6, and 8-12.

Applicant claims small entity status.

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

Notice of Appeal Fee

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Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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Respectfully submitted,

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